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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is a(n): Utility Design
 original patent application,
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TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DISCOVERY OF OPERATIONAL BOUNDARIES FOR SHMOO TESTS

Enclosed are:

- The Declaration and Power of Attorney. signed unsigned or partially signed
 4 sheets of drawings (one set) Associate Power of Attorney
 Form PTO-1449 Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449
 Priority document(s) (Other) (fee \$ _____)

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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3 — 3	0	X \$80	\$ 0
ANY MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS	0		\$270	\$ 0
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Respectfully submitted,

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